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FOR: BIAXIAL STRETCH TUBULAR FILM FOR THE PACKAGING AND COVERING OF MEAT WITH OR WITHOUT BONES ARE PASTE-LIKE FOODSTUFFS AND USE THEREOF

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Responsive to the Office Action of December 12, 2007, Applicants request reconsideration in view of the following amendment and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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